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REFS : (A) STATE 151534, (B) STATE 156486,
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AS REPORTED REF C, HUMANIST MAGAZINE WAS WITHDRAWN FROM CIRCULATION IN LATE MAY. ON MAY 29, THE TAIPEI MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED THAT PUBLICATION OF THE HUMANIST WOULD BE SUSPENDED FOR ONE YEAR (MAY 25, 1977 TO MAY 24, 1978) FOR VIOLATING ITEM 2, ARTICLE 40, OF THE PUBLICATION LAW. UNDER THE TERMS OF THE LAW, APPROPRIATE AUTHORITIES MAY SUSPEND PUBLICATION OF ANY MAGAZINE WHICH CHANGES ITS DECLARED PURPOSE OF PUBLICATION. WE ASSUME THAT THE HUMANIST, WHICH IS OSTENSIBLY A SATIRICAL REVIEW, WAS SUSPENDED FOR PUBLISHING PURELY POLITICAL ARTICLES, WHICH TRANSGRESSED THE LIMITS OF PERMISSIBLE COMMENT ON THE SENSITIVE SUBJECT OF RELATIONS BETWEEN TAIWAN AND THE MAINLAND.
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